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In re U.S. Patent Application of

AOYAGI et al.

Serial Number: 09/772,709

Filed: January 29, 2001

For: METHOD OF AUTOMATICALLY RECOGNIZING  
NETWORK CONFIGURATION INCLUDING  
INTELLIGENT PACKET RELAY EQUIPMENT,  
METHOD OF DISPLAYING NETWORK  
CONFIGURATION CHART AND SYSTEM THEREOF

Attorney Docket No. HIRA.0075

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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on June 3, 2004, the period of response to which is set to expire on September 3, 2004. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows: